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Preface

Purpose of the Installation Guide

This GUI Installation Supplemental Guide provides instruction for installation of CAPRI.exe and associated files to accommodate the introduction of Attachmate Reflection, the CAPRI .map file and address a Windows 7 font size issue.

Reference Numbering System

This document uses a numbering system to organize its topics into sections and show the reader how these topics relate to each other. For example, section 1.3 means this is the main topic for the third section of Chapter 1. If there were two subsections to this topic, they would be numbered 1.3.1 and 1.3.2. A section numbered 2.3.5.4.7 would be the seventh subsection of the fourth subsection of the fifth subsection of the third topic of Chapter 2. This numbering system tool allows the reader to more easily follow the logic of sections that contain several subsections.

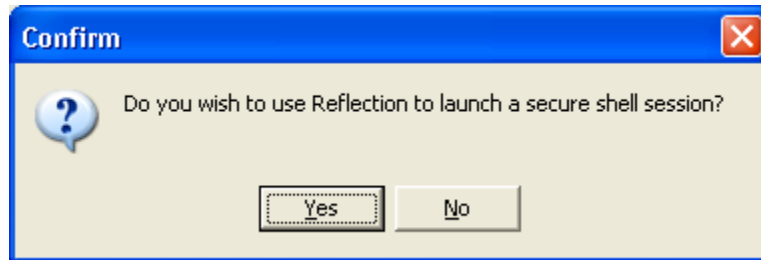
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1. Purpose

The primary purpose of this document is to provide information for installing patch CAPRI.exe and associated files to accommodate the introduction of Attachmate Reflection, the CAPRI.map file and address an issue stemming from Windows 7 using certain system fonts at 125% size instead of their normal size.

Attachmate Reflection is used as an option for providing secure shell sessions. After clicking on the CAPRI “Vista” button, the user will be prompted with the following popup window dialog:



If the user selects “Yes,” CAPRI will launch a secure shell session utilizing Attachmate Reflection. Other than the installation notes contained within this document, no further configuration is required to use Reflection.

If the user selects “No” the traditional CAPRI Telnet form will be used to establish a session.

2. Pre-Installation

This section describes potential action that is necessary to install this software.

2.1 Attachmate Reflection Installation Requirements

CAPRI began using Attachmate Reflection to facilitate secure shell terminal sessions starting with CAPRI v168. This functionality is only available to users who connect through the CLAIMS system and initiate terminal sessions with the “Vista” button. In order to use this functionality, Attachmate Reflection must be installed on the user’s workstation.

3. Installation Procedures

This section provides the necessary steps required for installing CAPRI. The estimated installation time is less than five minutes during off peak hours.

3.1 Additional Installation Files

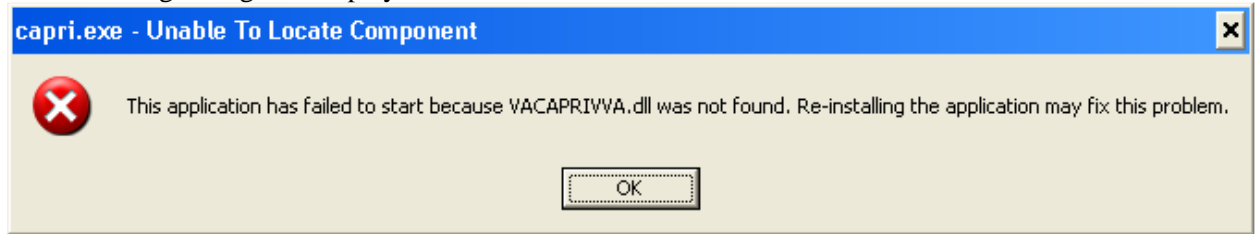
In addition to the executable file, there are four other files included with the CAPRI installation zip. The general purpose of these files and where they need to be located are as follows:

3.1.1. VACAPRIVVA.dll

The VACAPRIVVA.dll file is a dynamic link library that provides the web services client interface for the Virtual VA web service, which was added in patch DVBA*2.7*181. **Important: CAPRI will not function without this file.**

- VACAPRIVVA.dll is required for CAPRI to function.
- VACAPRIVVA.dll must be located in the same directory as the CAPRI executable (CAPRI.exe).

The following dialog box displays when CAPRI cannot find the VACAPRIVVA.dll file.



3.1.2. CAPRI_Help.chm

The CAPRI_Help.chm file contains the on-line help functionality.

- CAPRI_Help.chm is not required for CAPRI to function, but its presence is recommended
- CAPRI_Help.chm should be located in the same directory as the CAPRI executable (CAPRI.exe)
- If CAPRI is setup to run from a disk drive that is not local to the workstation, then CAPRI should be given write permissions to the “TEMP” folder of the workstation. If the TEMP folder is not writable for any reason, then the on-line help functionality may not work properly.

3.1.3. CAPRI.map

The CAPRI.map file contains a list of error addresses and source code line numbers that CAPRI utilizes to provide more detailed information to the development team when an error occurs in CAPRI.

- CAPRI.map is not required for CAPRI to function, but its presence is recommended
- CAPRI.map should be located in the same directory as the CAPRI executable (CAPRI.exe)

3.1.4. CAPRISession.r2w

- CAPRISession.r2w is an Attachmate Reflection configuration file. It configures Reflection to terminate when a terminal session disconnects
- CAPRISession.r2w is not required for CAPRI to function, but its presence is recommended
- CAPRISession.r2w should be located in the same directory as the CAPRI executable (CAPRI.exe)

3.1.5. ssh_config

The ssh_config file provides the parameters used by Attachmate Reflection Secure Shell to configure PC-to-host security options. CAPRI does not require this file for most functions, but it is required when establishing Reflection Secure Shell terminal sessions using the “Vista” button.

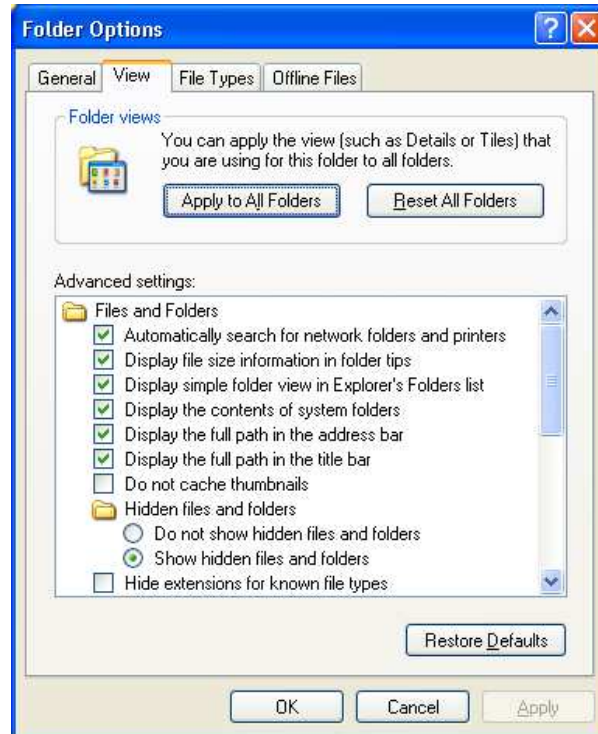
- The directory location of the ssh_config file depends on the operating system version
- Windows XP: C:\Documents and Settings\All Users\Application Data\Attachmate\Reflection
- Windows 7: C:\ProgramData\Attachmate\Reflection

NOTE: The target folder for ssh_config is typically hidden on most systems.

To show hidden files and folders on Windows XP, perform the following steps:

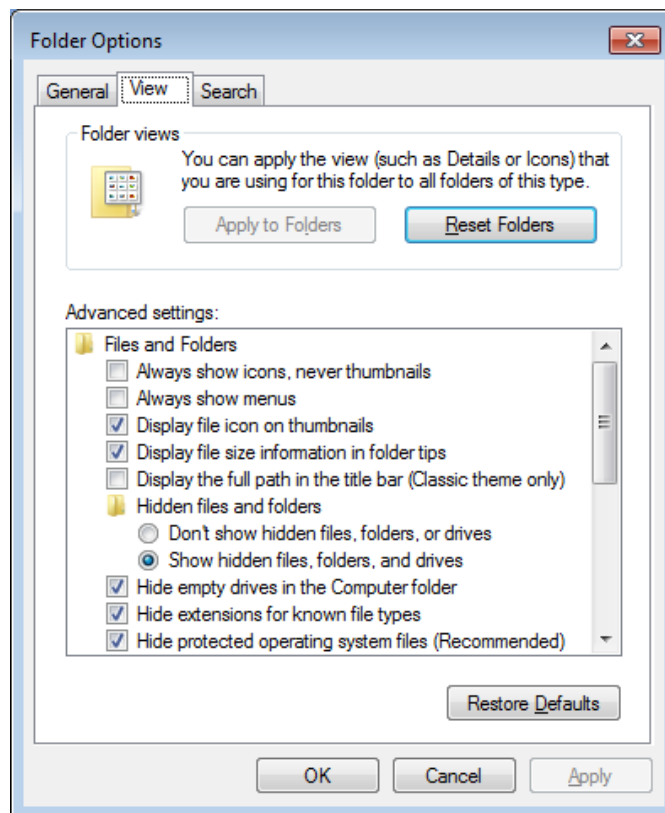
1. Right click on the start button and select “Explore” to launch explorer

2. From the menu at the top of explorer, select Tools|Folder options
3. In the resulting dialog, select the “View” tab
4. Select “Show hidden files and folders” and click OK



To show hidden files and folders on Windows 7, perform the following steps:

1. Click the Start button
2. Click Control Panel
3. Click Appearance and Personalization
4. Click Folder Options
5. In the Folder Options dialog, select the “View” tab
6. Select “Show hidden files and folders” and then click OK



3.2 CAPRI Configuration for Windows 7 and Non-standard Reflection Installations

Prior to launching Reflection, CAPRI searches the directory path that contains the CAPRI executable (CAPRI.exe) for an optional plain text configuration file named "CapriTerminalEmulators.ini". The purpose of the configuration file is to specify an alternate path that contains the Reflection executable (R2win.exe). If CAPRI does not detect the configuration file, then CAPRI assumes that the Reflection executable exists in the default Windows XP Reflection installation path: "C:\Program Files\Attachmate\Reflection".

3.2.1. Windows 7 Installation

NOTE: Sites that run a mixture of Windows XP and Windows 7 workstations and access the CAPRI executable from a central location, such as a share drive or terminal server, must create a new directory on the share to contain the CAPRI executable and the configuration file. Windows 7 users should access the CAPRI executable from the new directory, while Windows XP users should continue to access the CAPRI executable from the original directory.

The example "CapriTerminalEmulators.ini" configuration file provided with patch DVBA*2.7*180 is configured to provide support for the default installation path of Attachmate Reflection on a Windows 7 workstation. Place the configuration file in the same directory that contains the CAPRI executable.

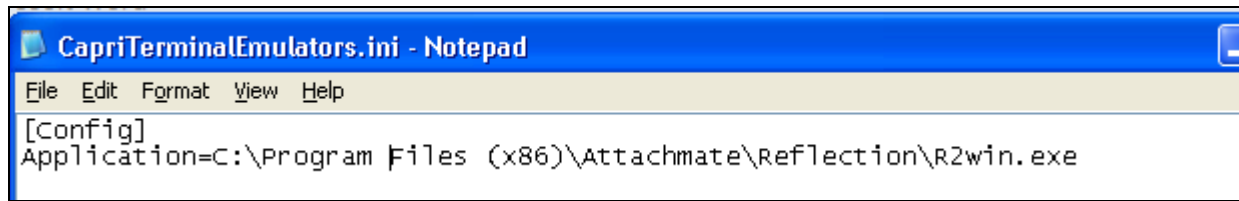
Alternatively, use the following procedure to create the configuration file:

1. Create the configuration file named "CapriTerminalEmulators.ini" using a plain text editor, such as Notepad

2. Populate the configuration file with the following two lines:

```
[Config]
```

```
Application=C:\Program Files (x86)\Attachmate\Reflection\R2win.exe
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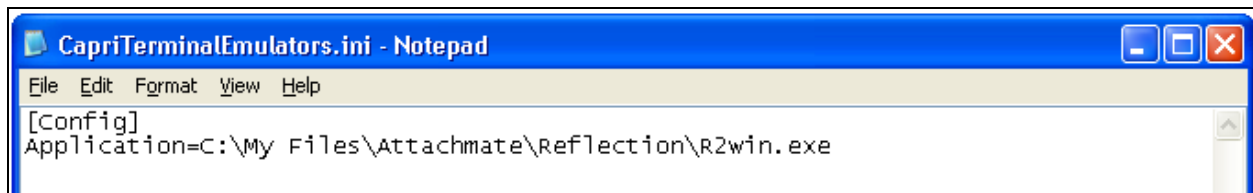
3. Save the file and place it in the same directory that contains the CAPRI executable.

3.2.2. Non-standard Reflection installations

If Reflection is installed in an alternate location, CAPRI can be configured to accommodate this. In order to do this, one should create a file named "CapriTerminalEmulators.ini" in the directory that contains the "CAPRI.exe" file. In this file, one should specify the location of the "Reflection R2Win.exe". For example, in order to specify a Reflection installation located in "C:\My Files\Attachmate\Reflection", "CapriTerminalEmulators.ini" should contain the following two lines:

```
[Config]
```

```
Application=C:\My Files\Attachmate\Reflection\R2win.exe
```



3.3 Windows 7 Font size on certain screens

During Windows 7 install process, under certain hardware and software conditions, the Windows installer may setup the default system fonts larger than the standard fonts used in prior versions of Windows. This can cause screens to display distorted in many applications. This problem affects some CAPRI screens, such as the Enterprise Search dialog.

This display distortion is being reported in many COTS applications, e.g. Microsoft Dynamics and is not specific to CAPRI.

If your workstation is affected, then can follow steps below to correct the issue if you have administrative rights to the workstation.

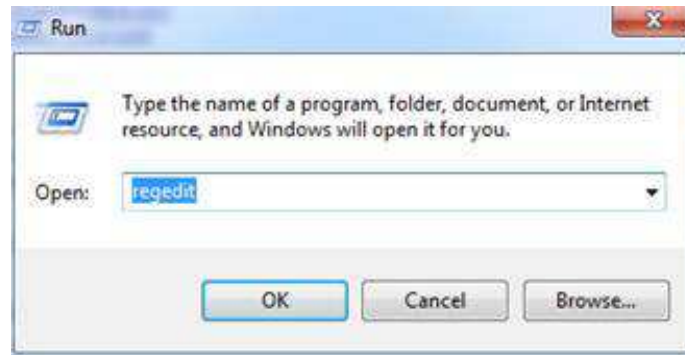
If you do not have administrative rights to your workstations, you may have to contact your System Administrator for assistance and do not proceed.

3.3.1. Steps to correct Font size on certain screens in Windows 7

NOTE: Before doing the steps below, make sure that you have a good backup of the Windows Registry.

:

1. Go to the Start menu click **Run...**
2. Type “**regedit**” and then click **OK**.



3. In the Registry Editor, click on the path:
HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\Windows NT\CurrentVersion\Fonts
4. Click **MS Sans Serif 8,10,12,14,18,24**. Right-click and select Modify **SSERIFF.FON** to **SSERIFE.FON** . *Note: One character of the file name changes from F to E*
5. Click **MS Serif 8,10,12,14,18,24**. Right-click and select Modify **SERIFF.FON** to **SERIFE.FON** . *Note: One character of the file name changes from F to E*
6. Click **Courier 10,12,15**. Right click and select Modify **COURF.FON** to **COURE.FON** .
Note: One character of the file name changes from F to E

Note: The above changes take effect after system reboot.

3.4 Installation of Microsoft Office Imaging 2007 (MODI) on Windows 7 workstations to view .TIFF files

IMPORTANT NOTE

With the introduction of “Get Docs from Virtual VA” in patch DVBA*2.7*184, there was an issue discovered with opening large TIFF files with the current Windows Photo Viewer, which is the default viewer on Windows 7 workstations for TIFF files. For this reason it is imperative that prior to the installation of CAPRI Patch DVBA*2.7*184 from a network share drive, the system administrators (IRM Staff) ***MUST*** validate that workstations running on Windows 7 have Microsoft Office Document Imaging 2007 (MODI) installed prior to installing P184 from a network share drive. This notice does not impact workstations running on Windows XP.

If you are upgrading CAPRI in workstation’s local hard drive, this pre-requisite should already have been met by an Action Item initiated by ESE. Reference national change order CO161098FY13.

However if one or more of your workstations have windows 7 and these don’t have a CAPRI.EXE on local hard disk, i.e. in case of new installs or running CAPRI from a Network Share then on those workstations this pre-requisite has ***not*** been automatically met. You can meet this pre-requisite by following the instructions on this link

[Microsoft Office \(2007\) Document Imaging Build Document](#)

In this document you may use either the SCCM method or the manual method.

All workstations that will run CAPRI.EXE, MUST have this MODI package installed in order to view large .TIFF files. Even if running CAPRI from the network, this package MUST still be installed on the workstation.